

**Sickle Cell Disease  
Public Health Strategic Planning Meeting  
October 13, 2014**

**Research (New findings, consortium interest)**

**{Identify up to 3 priority goals and strategies to address this issue}**

1. Define the problem.
2. Identify barriers and solutions to addressing the problem.
3. Identify best practices or existing models. If a model or best practice doesn't exist for sickle cell disease, does it exist for another disease? Describe.
4. Prioritize the issues you identified in order of importance and feasibility. How could the health department implement your strategy and who would do it?
5. What are aspects of SCD requires the most research? ...include data gaps
6. What are some ways that we can increase patient participant in clinical trials?
7. How do we address the barriers of generating new SCD research?
8. What is the role in public health in helping to assure that MI patients/citizens/residents take full advantage of research findings?
9. Do you have an interest in a consortium to coordinate efforts in order to look at research issues where public health can get involved?